

## **News Release**

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## 4:20 AM UPDATE: Kūhiō Highway in the vicinity of the Wailua Bridge closed in both directions

The National Weather Service has extended a Flash Flood Warning for Kaua'i through 6:30 a.m. The warning may be extended, dropped or modified as conditions develop.

Due to Flash Flooding, Kūhiō Highway in the vicinity of both the Wailua Bridge and Hanalei Bridge is closed. Heavy ponding is being reported islandwide.

A Flash Flood Warning means flash flooding is imminent or occurring in streams, roads and low-lying areas. Do not cross fast-flowing or rising water in your vehicle or on foot.

Ponding, low visibility and other hazardous driving conditions are expected. If you must drive, please do so with extreme caution.

For updates on road conditions and closures, please call 241-1725. Please do not call Kaua'i police 911 unless you have an emergency.

For weather updates call the National Weather Service automated weather line at 245-6001, or visit the NWS website, <a href="www.weather.gov/hawaii">www.weather.gov/hawaii</a>.

To sign up for Blackboard Connect, the county's emergency notification service, please go to the county's website, <a href="www.kauai.gov">www.kauai.gov</a>, or call the Kaua'i Emergency Management Agency at 241-1800.

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